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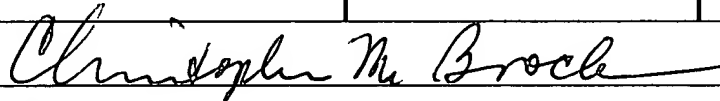
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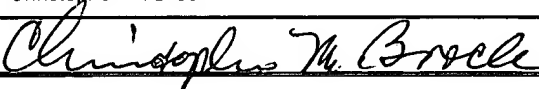
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 10, 2002, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 1-19 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please add the following new claims.

20. (New) A device, comprising an electrical load, a housing part, an external terminal for supplying electricity to said load, a housingless temperature-dependent

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